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PART I-A

CENTRAL SECTION

Orders and Notifications (Other than those published in Part IV-B) under the Gujarat Local Boards, Village Panchayats, Municipal Boroughs, District Municipal, Primary Education and Local Fund Audit Acts.

URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND URBAN HOUSING DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 3rd October, 2025

GUJARAT PROVINCIAL MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS ACT, 1949.

No. KV-365 of 2025/UDUHD/MSM/e-file/18/2025/5470/P Section: The following draft of a rules which is proposed to be issued under sub-section (1) of section 456 read with sub-section (1A) of section 19 of the Gujarat Provincial Municipal Corporations Act, 1949 (Bom. LIX of 1949) is hereby published as required under sub-section (2) of section 456 of the said Act, for information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft of rules will be taken into consideration by the Government of Gujarat on or after the expiry of thirty days from the date of publication of this notification in the *Official Gazette.*

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received by the Principal Secretary to the Government of Gujarat, Urban Development and Urban Housing Department, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, from any person with respect to the said draft rules on or before the expiry of the aforesaid period, will be considered by the Government.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION

GUJARAT PROVINCIAL MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS ACT, 1949.

No. KV-365 of 2025/UDUHD/MSM/e-file/18/2025/5470/P Section: WHEREAS sub-section (1) of section 19 of the Gujarat Provincial Municipal Corporations Act, 1949 (Bom. LIX of 1949) (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act") provides that the Mayors of the Municipal Corporations are to be elected by the elected Councillors of the Municipal Corporations in the first meeting of the concerned body; -

AND WHEREAS, the Government of Gujarat in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (2) of article 243 Q of the Constitution of India, has constituted Navsari, Gandhidham, Karamsad-Anand, Vapi, Morbi, Surendranagar, Mahesana, Nadiad, Porbandar Municipal Corporation under the Government Notifications, Urban Development and Urban Housing Department's Notifications dated 1st January, 2025; -

AND WHEREAS, the Government of Gujarat in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (a) of clause (iii) of sub-section (3) of section 5 read with sub-sections (4), (5), (6) and (7) of section 5 of the said Act, determines the number of Wards and Councillors, number of seats to be reserved for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes and Women under the Government Notifications, Urban Development and Urban Housing Department's Notifications dated 9th July, 2025;

AND WHEREAS sub-section (1A) of section 19 of the said Act mandates the State Government to prescribe the manner in which the office of the Mayor in every Corporation is to be reserved for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes and Women in the same proportion as provided in their favour under Section 5 of the said Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 456 read with sub-section (1A) of section 19 of the said Act, the Government of Gujarat hereby amend the Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporation (Reservation in the office of the Mayor) Rules, 1995, namely: -

1. These rules may be called the Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporations (Reservation in the office of the Mayor) (Second Amendment) Rules, 2025.

2. In the Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporation (Reservation in the office of the Mayor) Rules, 1995, (hereinafter referred to as "the said rules"), - in rule 2 for the for the words "Schedule", the words and letter "Schedule I and Schedule II" Shall be Substituted;

3. In the said rules, in rule 5 for words "the Schedule", the words and letter "Schedule I or, as the case may be, Schedule II" shall be substituted.

4. In the said Rules, the existing Schedule shall be renumbered as Schedule I and after the Schedule I, as so renumbered, the following Schedule II shall be added namely: -

"Schedule-II

(See rules 2 and 5)

Sr. No.	Name of Municipal Corporation	Duration of Term	
		First two and a half years	Second two and a half years
1	Karamsad-Anand	W	G
2	Nadiad	G	W
3	Mahesana	W(BC)	G
4	Gandhidham	W	BC
5	Morbi	BC	W
6	Vapi	W(BC)	G

Sr. No.	Name of Municipal Corporation	Duration of Term	
		First two and a half years	Second two and a half years
7	Surendranagar	SC	W(BC)
8	Porbandar	G	W
9	Navsari	G	W(ST)

Were,

G - means General

BC - means Backward Classes

SC - means Scheduled Castes

ST - means Scheduled Tribes

W - means Women".

By order and in name of the Governor of Gujarat,

KOMAL BHATT,

Joint Secretary to Government.

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